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Honorable Theodore H. Katz
United States Magistrate Judge
United States Courthouse
500 Pearl Street, Room 1660
New York, New York 10007

Re: Lula Motley o/b/o Kevin Motley v. Astrue
06 Civ. 15269 (RMB) (THK)

Dear Judge Katz:

This Office represents the Commissioner of Social Security, defendant in the above-captioned action. I have found it necessary to seek clarification from the Agency regarding the issues raised in plaintiff's motion for judgment on the pleadings. Therefore, with consent of plaintiff, I respectfully request a two week extension of time to prepare defendant's opposition to plaintiff's motion, which is due on January 18, 2008.

Should the Court grant this request, defendant's opposition will be due on February 1, 2008, and plaintiff's reply will be due on February 22, 2008. This is defendant's first request for an extension on the briefing schedule.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Granted.

Respectfully,

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SO ORDERED

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